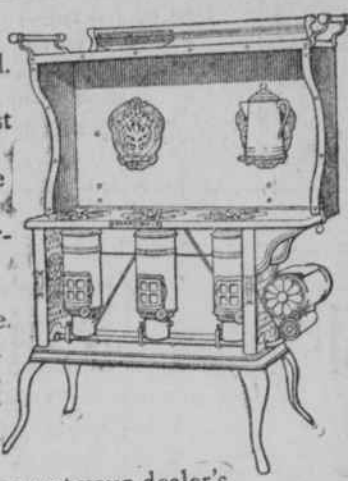


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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 6, 1909.

THE CENSUS.

Virginia is to have ten supervisors of the census, and approximately 1,500 enumerators. The supervisors will be appointed by the president. Appointment will be made as soon as the census bill now before Congress is passed. The enumerators will be recommended by the supervisors and the appointments will be made by the director of the census. The compensation of the supervisors will be \$1,500 for the two or three months' work required of them; in addition they receive \$1 per 1,000 of population enumerated. Enumerators will be compensated at the rate of from 2 to 4 cents per name. In towns of less than 5,000 the rate will be rather above that figure, the highest being paid in sparsely settled sections of the country. It is planned to have one enumerator for every voting district. One census supervisor will be appointed for each congressional district. Enumerators will be given from the 15th of April, 1910, to the 15th of May, 1910, in which to complete the work of numbering the inhabitants of their districts. The supervisors will be in office much longer. All reports will be made to them by the enumerators, and these will then be forwarded to Washington.

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For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Peppin preparation and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally.—Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

FLIES STAND SHOCK.

A West Chester Pa. young man who is interested in electrical study has made some curious experiments. He tried a strong current in killing roaches and they succumbed at the first shock when placed in water as a conductor. Other bugs went just as easily, but he met with a surprise when he tried it on a common house fly. Placed in a pool of water charged with all the power from an electric light wire the fly gave no sign of being even troubled by the current, and the experimenter is endeavoring to figure out the reason. The fly took a current which would have killed a horse. The experimenter killed five cats in one night by a contrivance he placed on his front porch to get rid of these nuisances.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 5th day of May, 1909.
Mary Kane, by her next best friend, John Davis, vs.
Samuel E. Kane, In Chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant, upon the ground of desertion for a period of over three years, with leave to the complainant to resume her maiden name of Mary Davis and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Samuel E. Kane, is a non-resident of this State:
It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Leo P. Harlow, p. q.
may 6 wdw

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 5th day of May, 1909.
In re estate of William Watson, Insane.
Memo. The object of this suit is to have the property of the non-resident insane person, William Watson, transferred to a foreign committee, under Section 2929 et al of the Virginia Code.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Mary E. Watson, Mary J. Watson and William Watson are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
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OFFICE CITY SCHOOL BOARD,
Alexandria, Va., May 5, 1909.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Clerk of the City School Board, for the Committee on Finance and Accounts, until FRIDAY, May 14, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing FORTY TONS or more of WHITE ASH COAL and ONE HUNDRED TONS OF CHAMBERLAND COAL—or more, for the public schools.
Also TEN CORDS OF SAWED AND SPLIT PINE WOOD.
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the TERMINAL TAXICAB COMPANY, Incorporated, will be held at the office of said company, rooms 1 & 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, at 2 o'clock, on MONDAY, May 10, 1909, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
JOHN HERBERT CORNING, Sec'y.
april 28 tw

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Citizens Saving Bank, Incorporated, will be held at the company's Virginia office, 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, May 11, at 11 a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
H. P. HUDDLESON, Secretary.
april 28 tw

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LINCOLN LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, for the election of directors and officers and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held on WEDNESDAY, May 12th, 1909, at its office, 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., pursuant to adjournment, on April 14th, 1909. Polls open from 2 to 3 p. m.
J. HENRY BROWN Secretary.
may 5 tw

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the CANTER ELECTROLYTIC ALKALI COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 214 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on the 13th day of May, 1909, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and attending to all other legal business that may be brought before the stockholders.
F. F. VAN NAME, Secretary.
april 28 tw

PROPOSALS.

WAR DEPARTMENT, General Depot of the Quartermaster's Department, Washington, D. C., April 27th, 1909. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until Wednesday, May 12th, 1909, and then publicly opened, for repairing government roadway from Potomac River, Virginia, to Fort Myer, Virginia. Specifications, blank forms and instructions for making proposals and further information will be furnished in the office of the Quartermaster, at the above address, on application to this office.
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